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1. ROMANIAN EMBASSY REPS IN BONN DELIVERED NOTES TO US AND UK EMBASSIES JANUARY 21, REQUESTING THE LATTERS' AGREEMENT TO ESTABLISHMENT OF ROMANIAN CONSULATE GENERAL IN WEST BERLIN. SO FAR ROMANIANS HAVE NOT BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE FRENCH, BUT WE ASSUME THEY WILL BE DOING SO. TEXT OF NOTE HANDED TO EMBASSIES IN BONN DIFFERS FROM THOSE APPARENTLY COMMUNICATED TO US AND FRENCH EMBASSIES CONFIDENTIAL

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IN BUCHAREST. (UK EMBASSY SO FAR NOT INFORMED AS TO

WHETHER ITS REPS IN ROMANIAN CAPITAL WERE ALSO GIVEN A NOTE). MAJOR DIFFERENCES IN THE BONN NOTES IS THAT THEY REFER TO THE ROLE OF THE MILITARY COMMANDANTS, AND ALSO STATES SPECIFICALLY THAT THE PROPOSAL FOR THE NAMING OF A CONSUL GENERAL WOULD BE FOLLOWING.

- 2. IN JANUARY 22 BONN GROUP DISCUSSION, IT WAS RECOMMENDED THAT, ONCE IT WAS CLEAR ALL THREE ALLIES HAD RECEIVED NOTES IN BONN AND BUCHAREST, THE THREE ALLIES IN BONN SHOULD UNDERTAKE TO RESPOND POSITIVELY. DRAFT REPLY TO ROMANIANS PRESENTLY BEING PREPARED.
- 3. IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT THE NOTES DELIVERED IN BONN CONFORMED MORE TO THE ALLIED VIEW OF WHAT WAS REQUIRED, IT WAS CONSIDERED THAT THE RESPONSE SHOULD BE DONE PRIMARILY IN THE FRG CAPITAL. A COPY OF THE NOTE HANDED OVER TO THE ROMANIANS IN BONN COULD THEN BE HANDED OVER FOR INFORMATION TO THE ROMANIANS IN BUCHAREST, THEREBY PROVIDING AN INFORMAL RESPONSE TO THEIR NOTES OF JANUARY 21.
- 4. A COPY OF PROPOSED ALLIED REPLY WILL BE FORWARDED TO DEPARTMENT AND USBER FOR CONSIDERATION AS SOON AS BONN GROUP AGREES ON DRAFT TEXT. TEXT OF ROMANIAN NOTE POUCHED USBER AND EUR/CE. HILLENBRAND

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